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SUBJECT: STORY ON ESTABLISHMENT OF LAO COMMITTEE TO SEARCH FOR MIA
INFORMATION NOT CONFIRMED

REF STATE 064463

1. LAO NATIONAL RADIO HAS NOT BEEN HEARD TO CARRY
STORY REFTEL. LAO INFORMATION MINISTRY DAILY BULLETIN,
THE PARTY NEWSPAPER "VOICE OF THE PEOPLE" AND THE CITY
NEWSPAPER "NEW VIENTIANE" HAVE NOT CARRIED THE STORY
EITHER.

2. "VOICE OF THE PEOPLE" MARCH 24 PUBLISHED A FRONT
PAGE EDITORIAL WHICH SAID IN PART: "IN ORDER FOR
AMERICA TO ACHIEVE ITS OBJECTIVE (OF RECOVERING INFORMATION
ON THE MIAS) IT IS NECESSARY THAT THE WOUNDS OF
WAR BE HEALED AT THE SAME TIME. WHEN THE WAR SCARS
ON THE LAND OF LAOS DISAPPEAR, THE WOUNDS (SCARS) ON
THE HEART OF THE LAO PEOPLE WILL ALSO DISAPPEAR AND
(IN THIS WAY) MAKE IT EASIER TO SEEK INFORMATION ON
AMERICANS THAT ARE MISSING OR DEAD IN LAOS, BECAUSE
(AFTER ALL), THIS (THE SEEKING FOR INFORMATION) IS
WORK WHICH WILL BE DONE BY THE LAO PEOPLE."

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